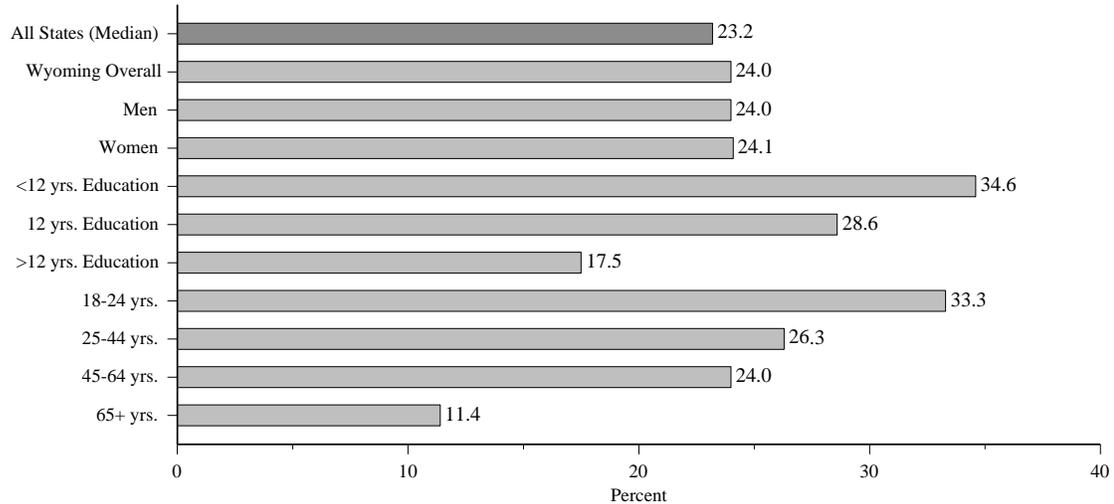


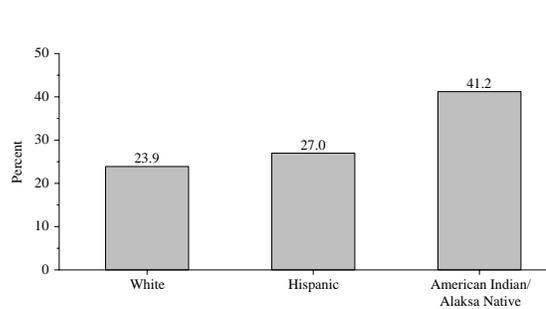
**Number of Wyoming youth projected to die prematurely from their smoking: 10,134**

## Adult Tobacco Use in Wyoming

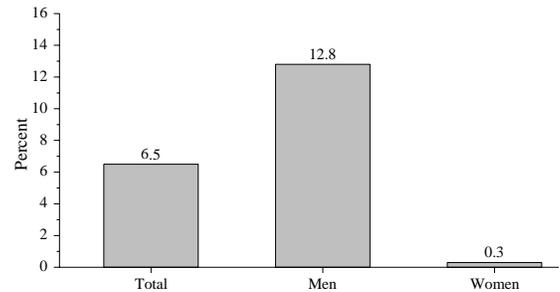
### Current Cigarette Smoking Among Adults Aged 18 and Older, 1997



### Current Cigarette Smoking Among Adults by Race/Ethnicity, 1996-1997



### Current Smokeless Tobacco Use Among Adults Aged 18+, 1995-1996



## Health Impact and Costs

AVERAGE ANNUAL DEATHS RELATED TO SMOKING, 1994		AVERAGE ANNUAL YEARS OF POTENTIAL LIFE LOST,* 1994	MEDICAL COSTS RELATED TO SMOKING, 1993	
Overall	712	9,271 years or an average of 13.0 years for each death due to smoking.	Ambulatory	\$12,600,000
Men	462		Hospital	\$22,600,000
Women	250		Nursing Home†	\$19,190,000
Death Rate	357/100,000		Drug	\$4,270,000
Rank	30	*Calculated to life expectancy	Other	\$12,560,000
(No. 1 is lowest death rate)			<b>Total</b>	<b>\$71,210,000</b>

†Preliminary estimates

## Youth Tobacco Use

CIGARETTE SMOKING AMONG YOUTH, GRADES 9-12, 1997			SMOKELESS TOBACCO USE AMONG YOUTH, GRADES 9-12, 1997 (PAST MONTH)	
	Past Month	Frequent		
All States	36.4%	16.7%	All States . . . . .	9.3%
WY	37.4%	20.3%	WY . . . . .	22.5%
Boys	38.1%	20.3%	Boys . . . . .	34.7%
Girls	36.7%	20.2%	Girls . . . . .	9.7%

Past Month = tobacco use on one or more days in the past month  
 Frequent = tobacco use on 20+ days in the past month

Wyoming



**Number of Wyoming youth exposed to ETS in the home in 1996: 33,950**

**Tobacco Control Legislation, 1998**

**Minors' Access to Tobacco Products**

Minimum age for sale: 18

**Penalties:** Any person who sells to a minor will be guilty of a misdemeanor and fined up to \$50.

**Illegal for minors to:**

- Purchase** ..... Yes
- Possess** ..... Yes
- Use** ..... Yes

**Restrictions on Vending Machines**

Vending machines must be located where minors cannot access them.

**Signage**

Signs required on premises and affixed to vending machines.

**Licensure**

None

**Excise Tax**

Cigarette tax per pack ..... 12¢

Rank = 46 (No.1 is highest tax)

Federal and state taxes as a percentage of retail price ..... 21.3%

Annual gross tax revenue from cigarettes ..... \$6,331,000

Smokeless tobacco tax:

None

**Advertising**

No restrictions

**State Preempts Local Laws**

Preemption of minors' access laws.

**Smokefree Indoor Air**

Site	Restrictions				Penalties	
	100% Smokefree	Designated smoking areas with separate ventilation	Designated smoking areas required or allowed	None	To businesses	To smokers
						
Government worksites		✓*				
Private worksites				✓		
Restaurants				✓		
Day care centers				✓		
Home-based day care				✓		

\*By executive order.

**Tobacco Economy**

**Cigarette Sales, 1997**

Number of packages sold and taxed, per capita ..... 108.8

**Tobacco Agriculture, 1997**

None

**Tobacco Manufacturing, 1996**

None

**Tobacco Use Prevention and Control Program**

Funding: CDC IMPACT

Regional Network: Rocky Mountain Tobacco-Free Challenge

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